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7                   UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
8                   WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
9                   AT SEATTLE

10                  ALEXANDER ANTHONY ARISPE,

11                  Plaintiff,

12                  CAROLYN W. COLVIN, Acting  
13                  Commissioner of Social Security,

14                  Defendant.

Case No. C13-5425-JCC-JPD

REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

15                  This matter comes before the Court upon plaintiff's application to proceed *in forma*  
16                  *pauperis* ("IFP") in the above-entitled action. Dkt. 2. Specifically, plaintiff's IFP application  
17                  indicates that his spouse's annual gross income is \$25,260, and that he has received an  
18                  additional \$24,393.18 in "disability, unemployment, workers compensation or public  
19                  assistance" payments in the last year, although these payments stopped in April 2013. *Id.* at 1-  
20                  2. Plaintiff and his spouse also own a home, although they did not disclose its value. *Id.* at 2.

21                  After careful consideration of plaintiff's IFP application, the governing law, and the  
22                  balance of the record, the Court recommends DENYING plaintiff's application to proceed IFP  
23                  (Dkt. 2) and directing him to pay the \$400 filing fee within thirty (30) days of the date of the  
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1 Order adopting this Report and Recommendation. Plaintiff is advised that failure to pay this  
2 filing fee will result in dismissal of this action.

3 The Clerk of the Court is directed to send copies of this Report and Recommendation to  
4 the plaintiff and to the Honorable John C. Coughenour.

5 DATED this 19th day of June, 2013.

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7 JAMES P. DONOHUE  
8 United States Magistrate Judge

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